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In re application of:

Herbert Stotkiewitz et al.

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Attention:

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PCT INTERNATIONAL DIVISION

Docket No.: R.304187

RESPONSE TO MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

Commissioner for Patents P.O. BOX 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated February 14, 2006, please find the enclosed:

- 1) Copy of PCT / DO / EO / 905 dated February 14, 2006
- 2) Executed Declaration

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of surcharge for Missing Requirements of the application in the amount of \$130.00 to Deposit Account 07-2100. Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any or all fees associated with this communication to Deposit Account 07-2100.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/01/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 06/01/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/01/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/01/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/01/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/01/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/01/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 06/01/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/01/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 06/01/2005
- Power of Attorney filed on 06/01/2005
- Non-English Language Application filed on 06/01/2005
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The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application
by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does
not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:

- is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- 2nd Inventor signature missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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